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**DECISION ON** 

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In re Application of

EBERSOLE, Richard C. et al.

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This decision responds to applicant's renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.182, filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 30 July 2007.

## **BACKGROUND**

On 31 May 2007, the Office mailed Decision On Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182, dismissing applicants' petition to change Inventor DeCarolis' name, without prejudice.

On 30 July 2007, applicants submitted this renewed petition, accompanied by a new declaration of the inventors.

## **DISCUSSION**

The new declaration of the inventors complies with 37 CFR 1.497(a)-(b).

## **CONCLUSION**

Applicants' petition under 37 CFR 1.182 to correct the inventor's name is **GRANTED**.

This application is being referred to the national stage processing branch of the Office of PCT Operations for further action consistent with this decision. The application has a 35 USC 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) date of 30 July 2007.

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